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| PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)  | Docket Number (Optional)   |                  |
|---|----------------------------|------------------|
| FY 2009 (Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).)   | 9310-150                   |                  |
| Application Number 10/537,562   | Filed March 22, 2006       |                  |
| For Method for Lowering Both Sequence Variations and Increase of Base Line Effects in Diagnostic Hybridisa  |                            |                  |
| Art Unit 1634   | Examiner Amanda Marie Shaw |                  |
| This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.  |                            |                  |
| The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):   |                            |                  |
| Fee   | Small Entity Fee           |                  |
| ✓ One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$130   | \$65                       | \$ <u>130.00</u> |
| Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$490  | \$245                      | \$               |
| Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$1110   | \$555                      | \$               |
| Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$1730  | \$865                      | \$               |
| Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) \$2350  | \$1175                     | \$               |
| Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.  |                            |                  |
| A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.   |                            |                  |
| Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.  |                            |                  |
| ☐ The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.   |                            |                  |
| The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 500220   |                            |                  |
| WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form.<br>Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.                   |                            |                  |
| I am the applicant/inventor.  |                            |                  |
| assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed (Form PTO/SB/96).  |                            |                  |
| attorney or agent of record. Registration Number 57,154   |                            |                  |
| attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34.  Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34   |                            |                  |
| Mich Danne  | May 31, 2011               |                  |
| Signature   | Date                       |                  |
| Alice M. Bonnen   | 919-854-1400               |                  |
| Typed or printed name   | Telephone Number           |                  |
| NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below. |                            |                  |
| ✓ Total of 1 forms are submitted.   |                            |                  |

This collection of information is required by 3 CFR 1.136(a). The information is required to obtain or rebin a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the URFYTO opcoses) an application. Confidentially is governed by 30 U.S. of 22 and 3 CFR 1.11 and 1.11. This collection is estimated to take of minutes to complete, including agethering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USFTO. Time will wary depending upon the Individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or supportions for reducing this buttern, should be sent to the Chef Information Officer, U.S. Petent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1460, Alexandris, V.A. 22313-1460, DNOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioned for Petents, P.O. Dox 1450, Alexandris, V.A. 22313-1460, V.A. 22313-1460.